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Title : Process for Enhancing Immune Response in Canines Using
a Dietary Composition Including Garlic

REPLY AFTER 1st OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111(b)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This submission is in response to the Office Action of June 20, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows, consider the following remarks with respect to patentability, and reconsider the application. Attached hereto are filing papers, arguments, and a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time, providing for a timely response up to and including December 20, 2006. All related fees are to be charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account #16-2480.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims – no amendments to the claims are made at this time.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.